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Sir:

This is in Reply to the Office Action Communication mailed July 27, 2001 in the above referenced application. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration or further examination.

In the Claims:

34. (Amended) A method for administering a plurality of accounts for a client in a transaction service provider, comprising:

- a) registering the client with the transaction service provider;
- b) collecting and storing personal information from the client in a database of client information;
- c) registering a plurality of accounts corresponding to a plurality of service institutions and related to the client;
- d) creating a database of client information including personal information, account information, and transactional information;

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